## LOOK OUT, CHICAGO!

THE YOUNG GIANT CITIES OF THE GREATER WEST ARE MAKING YOUR MERCHANTS HUMP THEMSELVES.

Js Chicago to Pass Through the Experience of Cincinnati-New York Merchants De-clare that it Looks So Now, and that that's Why Marshall Field Cut Rates in Sa Lively a Way-It is a Great War of Jobbers that is New Going On, but Goth. am Merchants Say They'll Win,

From the Evening Sun.

"We have always controlled the Western markets, and we propose to continue to do so,"

York lobbers. But deeper reflection recalled the fable of the fate of the eathern patchers which tried to float in the same stream as the fron pots.

New York contains many men whose successful career in the West has been only a preparatory education to greater successes in the East. One of these thus explained the present situation of Chicago to an Exenixu Sun reporter:

"The competition of New York jobbers for small amounts in the West has done Chicago little real harm. Chicago herself has been the most active agent in minimizing her power as a distributor of dry goods on a large scale. By means of new railways she has built up formidable rivals to her greatness in the West. By means of fast express trains she has placed these rivals within easy distance of New York in the East.

Chicago's present eminence is due to her importance as a railway centre. Al' these railways were constructed with capital raised in the East, and Chicago has had the lion's share of the profits of the money spent in their construction. As long as wheat was grown and catlle were raised on the prairies which came up to the wails of the city. Chicago could not help controlling the Western trade, for she and her suburbs were the only important aggregation of people in the whole Northwest.

"Now capital is no longer pourod into Chicago, but into points further west. Every dollar this spent takes from her importance as a collecting and distributing centre, and tends to degrade her to the level of a great railway junction, through which the bulk of the freight traffic passes without transhipment.

"The comparative increase of Chicago, Kansas City, and Minneapolis Edween 1880 and 1887 shows this clearly. While Chicago has increased in population 69 per cent, in these seven years, Kansas City has increased leaf per cent, in these seven years, Kansas City has increased leaf pre cent, in these latter two cities has been directly due to the same causes which made Chicago leap forward at such a rate a few years previous.

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descrition—just as Chicago jobbors are doing now. A few years afterward i found the same jobber much better off than he had been when I last met him. His business had doubled through surplying the local needs of smaller men, and he was frank enough to acknowledge that every man who went Last was indirectly a source of profit to him. The mere fact that a man could afford to buy his goods in New York was a magnificent advertisement to that particular locality and brought scores of settlers to it."

New York and its neighborhood are not only New York and its neighborhood are not only the largest manufacturing centre in the United States, said a manufacturer. But the principal agencies for all the Eastern and Southern manufactories are also situated here. The necessary capital to build and run all these mills comes from Wall street, where the unemployed wealth of the country is poured in for investment, and where millions of dellars are also received from the surplus wealth of foreign countries. In addition, New York is by far the largest centre for imported goods in the country.

"We have always controlled the Western markets, and we propose to continue to do so," started 150d, the other they to a rought of the Chicago Hersid. There is nothing now in this statement, not even its arrocance, but the circumstances under which it was uttered mark an era in the history of Chicago. I twan the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last despairing assumption of a power no longer possessed. In plain language, Chicago and the last of the last

grown up around her and shut her off from her former markets.

"In the same way Chicago is being cut off from her former stamping grounds by a somicircle of Western cities which have been planted and flourish at a respectful distance from their overgrown rival.

"In Kansas City three jobbers have an annual business of \$4,700,000; in St. Joseph four jobbers turn over yearly \$6,260,000; in St. Paul and Minneapolis three do a business of \$6,500,000; in Denver one does a business of almost \$2,000,000. All these fat slices have been carved out of Chicago's jobbing trade in comparatively recent years, not to mention St. Louis, which has wakened up considerably of late, and hoasts of a jobbing trade of not less than \$25,000,000.

"So that in a few years the jobbing trade of Chicago will be curtailed within its proper limits. It will occupy the small and medium retailers of the City of the Lakes and the territory adjacent until it touches the spheres of influence of other great Western towns. Eattles will doubtless be fought in such small towns as are on the contested bordors, but Chicago will be avery great local distributing centre and nothing more."

As it is in dry goods so it doubtless is to a greater or less extent in other things. Hitherto Chicago's chief dependence has been on external causes, which are censing to be operative. In future she will have to rely on the development of such internal resources as are not accidental, but permanent. Her inheritance as the entropot of the Northwest is being seized by the semicirele of cities which lie further west than she does. Chicago may increase in wealth and population, but it will not be from the profits of acting as middleman between the East and West. So far her growth has been due to railways built with outside capital; further, that growth will depend on the adaptability of her etizens to a new order of things.

## THE MYER-M'AULIFFE FIGHT.

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IN THE FIELD OF INDUSTRY.

NOTES FOR THE HOST OF WORKERS HERE AND ELSEWHERE.

Labor in Its Several Branches-The Action of Workingmen's Organisations—Rela-tions of Employers to Assistants—The Festivities that Lighten the Tools of Toil.

The eight-hour agitation, which is to be The eight-hour agitation, which is to be conducted throughout the year under the auspices of the American Federation of Labor, will be opened in this city at a mass meeting next Friday. Washington's Birthday. The plan of action was adopted at a conference of delegates from twenty-five trade unions. Similar meetings will be held on the same day in all the chief cities of the United States. Speakers who are familiar with the subject are in demand everywhere, from Boston to San Francisco.

Mayor Grant has repeatedly asked the Commissioners of Emigration at this port to investigate the complaints made to him that contract labor is being imported from Europe, and that certain New York establishments have recently made illegal engagements with tailoresses hired to come here from Lendon and Paris. The Mayor has given it to be understood that he is ready to do what he can to secure the enforcement of the Anti-Contract Labor law by the Commissioners at Castle Garden.

It was a notable attempt to reconcile hostile labor organizations that was made last week at the conference of rival leaders in Philadelphia, and the nature of the attempt can be judged by the fact that among those who came together were Powderly of the Knights of Labor, Gompers of the Federation of Labor, McGuire of the Brotherhood of Lecomotive Firemen, and representatives of the Switchmen's Union, the Order of Railway Conductors, and other organizations. Even Arthur of the Brotherhood of Lecomotive Engineers was looked for, and, in his absence, he sent a letter of encouragement. All the business transacted was with the view of bringing about harmony of action upon general objects of agreement. It was unanimously resolved that all labor organizations "should clasp hands and march together," and that an address, signed by all the bodies in conference, should be distributed broadeast among the working people of the United States. The outcome of this new movement will be watched with interest.

There has been a heavy increase of the membership of the silk workers' unions of New Jersey, brought about by the prospect of a reduction in the wages of the trade in that tate. The surplus labor in this line of skilled industry is less than it is in some other lines.

An English-speaking branch of the Bakers' National Union has been organized in New York city. Its object is to promote mutual help, redress grievances, shorten the hours of labor, and improve the condition of the toliers of the bake-shop.

The organized cloak and suit operators of this city have joined the Journeymen Tallors' National Union, which is growing in strength all over the country, and trying to secure prac-tical advantages for its members.

Many of the old type setters of New York are regretting the death of their comrade Charles J. Macdenald, whose life ended in the forty-seventh year of his age. He was a leader in Typographical Union No. 6 and a member of the Masonic and other organizations. There were sincere mourners at his tuneral in Brooklyn yesterday.

A new organization, possessing social, athletic, and benefit features, has been formed under the title of The New York City Telegraphers' Club.

There was a merry crowd of dancers at the ball given last Friday evening by Association No. 1 of Stationary Engineers of this city. No. 5 and No. 7 sent representatives, and there were also delegations from the Eccentric, the American, and the Protective Engineers, and from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. An elaborate programme, including amateur the atricals and dancing, has been prepared for to-morrow night's entertainment to be given by the operators in the commercial telegraph offices of this city, nearly 1,000 of whom are employed in the main office of the Western Union. It will be a gay affair.

At the recent masquerade of the Independent Butchers' Club of Harlem, the members were distinguishable in the grand march by their white gowns and aprons and their high silk hats. The medals offered for the best character dress were won by the "Cowboy" and "Biddy's Day Off."

The recoption and ball given in Harlem last Friday evening by Sylvan Harbor No. 11. American Brotherhood of Steamboat Pilots, was a success under the motto, "Pipe all hands to quarters."

The protest of the labor organizations of New York against the repeal of the Saturday Haif-holiday law will soon be heard in the Legislature of this State.

There is a bill before the New York Legis lature for the appointment of a State Minin. Inspector who shall see that the owners on nines and quarries provide for the safety of their employees. There is another bill to pro-hibit mining and quarrying corporations from running supply stores for their men.

The United German Trades of New York will be represented by delegates at the Interna-tional Labor Congress in Paris.

On account of the business ways of the Brocklyn Central Labor Union, the building trades are likely to withdraw their delegates.

A New York clergyman, the Rev. Dr. Eaton of the Church of the Divine Paternity in Fifth avenue, has preached a sermon in denuncia-tion of strikes and strikers. He held that every strike is a curse, and that nearly all strikes fall. He gave it as his opinion that working-men are the ignorant dupes of selfish leaders.

There were some practical ideas in the lec-ture on "Manual Training" that was delivered before the New York Labor Lyceum by Mr. Edward bearing last Friday evening.

The delegates from this city to the National Bakers' Union have been instructed to introduce a resolution that sixty consecutive hours shall constitute a regular week's work, and to propose that the organization become international. There is a tendency toward international cooperation in a number of trades in this city.

The Clothing Cutters'Association of this city will hereafter publish a list of the union estab-lishments in their trade, and copies of it will be regularly supplied to labor organizations. The New York Framers' Union has been able

to make a donation from its treasury to every unemployed member.\_\_\_\_ The Coopers' Unions of New York and Brook-lyn have signed a treaty of reciprocity which promises to be advantageous all around, even to the employers.

The revolters from the Knights of Labor are organizing another body under the same name that is to be veiled in absolute secrecy. The leaders have begun their secret work by openly talking about it, and it looks as though all the secrets would be known by everybody who cares to look into them.

There is a Trade Mark bill before the New Jersey Legislature that is supported by the State Federation of Trades. It is likely to be adopted. There are several other labor meas-ures before the Legislature.

The Saturday Half-holiday bill that has been before the Legislature of Pennsylvania was defeated in the State Senate.

An extensive programme has been drawn up for next month's tour of inspection by the electrical and mechanical engineers in the classes of Cornell University. The electrical engineers will visit various cities for the purpose of inspecting electrical railways and other electrical works, and the mechanical engineers will make an extensive tour in order to inspect steel works, manufactories, and other establishments. There are nearly 200 names on the college list of student inspectors.

At his laboratory in Orange, the inventor Edison is on the best of terms with all his employees, who number nearly 100. They presented him with a \$700 set of library furniture hast Tuesday in celebration of his birtiday. But this is not all. His domestica also turned up on the occasion. They gave him an effecting in the shape of an immense birthday cake of wonderful design, around the edge of which were forty-two colored fixcandescent electric lights. Mr. Edison is an employer who always displays the most liberal and friendly spirit toward every man and woman it his service.

The Ale and Porter Brewery Employees' Pro-tective Association is now recognized in all but one of the regular breweries of this city. There is a prospect of getting the evidence in support of the charges that have been made against certain delegates to the New York Central Labor Union.

The 600 femals estrich feather workers of this city who struck three weeks ago in defence of their union are still in receipt of pecuniary aid from other labor organizations and the Working Women's Seciety. They are selling tickets for the sacred concert of March 3 in aid of their fund. The union refused an offer of \$2,000 made by a few wealthy sympathizers because the donors elighted the Working Women's Seciety and would not make it the agency of disbursement.

There is still a probability that legal proceedings will be taken against the walking delegate of the Brooklyn Conchmen's Union, who stopped a funeral last Tuesday until the undertaker agreed to dismiss a non-unionist driver of one of the forty coaches. The Penal Code, under the title "Disturbing Funerals," says: "A person who, without authority of law, obstructs or detains any person engaged in carrying or accompanying the dead body of a human being to a place of burial is guilty of a misdemeanor," punishable by one year's imprisonment or a fine of \$500. The Brooklyn Coachemen's Union, however, is a body with which the undertakers of that city desire to remain on good terms.

The project of again employing the old hand presses in place of the new steam machines for plate printing in the Government Eureau of Engraving and Printing at Washington has been brought to an end by the adverse action of Congress. It is impossible to put a stop to the use of labor-saving inventions.

The New Jersey Bureau of Labor has obtained statistics about the employment of children in the factories of the State, and it appears that the child-labor law is violated in over 8,000 cases. over 8,000 cases.

The engineers of New Jersey are united in their desire for the adoption of a licensing law by the State Legislature.

Several important questions will be brought

up in the National Convention of Musicians which opens in St. Louis March 13, We learn from Boston that the K. of I. freight handlers there are again trying to secure the increase of pay which their employers refused to grant last year.

Andrew Carnegie, speaking of the present state of business in the Pittsburgh from mills, says that "capital and labor are standing to-gether," and that "the sliding scale agreement s as periect an arrangement as ever was made."

The Amalgamated Association of Elastic Web Weavers of the United States has just been organized. There are fair prospects that all the workers at this industry will be brought into the ranks before the end of the year.

The Osborno reaper works at Auburn in this State, where nearly 1,200 men were employed, are closed on account of a strike against a re-duction in wages.

Congressman Farquhar, who has been in the House for the past four yoars, and will next menth enter on his third term of service, is a level-headed old type setter and a genuine craftsman, unspolled by politics, full of the vivacity that belongs to the handlers of the com-posing stick.

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Among the items of news from Pennsylvania are several notices of the reduction of the wages of from workers. To-day at Pottsville there is to be a reduction of 10 per cent, in the pay of the 700 employees of the from and Steel Company's Fishback rolling mill, and at the Potts rolling mill in Pottstown there is to be a like reduction on the lat of March. At the licading from Works, where 1,200 hands are employees, and laborers are cut down to \$1\$ per cent, reduction for puddlers and other employees, and laborers are cut down to \$1\$ per day. At Birdsboro the Brooke Iron Company, which recently reduced puddlers' pay, has asked the men in the nail works to accept a reduction. It is pleasing to hear from Mount Carmei of an improvement in the antiracite cail trade, and that 2,000 miners have resumed work there. But, on the other hand, the Schuylkill county collieries are closed; the Reading Coal Company has reduced its output, and there are similar accounts from other districts of Pennsylvania, with reports of suffering among the Idle miners. There are also troubles in the big coke region near Pittsburgh, where the men have asked for an advance in wages, under the leadership of the National Progressive Union.

The three labor reform members of the West

The three labor reform members of the West Virginia Legislature have held the balance of power between the regular parties during the deadlock over the election of a Senator of the United States. Their ranks were broken last Friday in favor of the Democratic candidate.

It is reported that the new natural gas factories about to be erected in Muncie, ind., will give employment to nearly 3,000 men. That number of employees are now at work in the

Now that the Agricultural Bureau has developed into a Department of the Government with a Secretary of Agriculture as a member of the Prosident's Cabinet, there are again propositions to bring about a similar evolution of the Laber Bureau, making it a Government department under a Secretary who shall be a Cabinet functionary. The project will lie over till it is broncht in

Textile Workers' Union. The General Executive Board of the National Textile Workers' Federation favors the new organization.

One of the men on strike in Higgins's carpet factory has been sent to the penifentiary on a month's sentence for assaulting a non-unionist, and one of the female strikers has been fined \$10 or "smacking the face" of a woman who took her place. There is no prospect of the 1400 Higgins strikers obtaining the terms for which they went out, and the employers say they can get along with the new hands.

There are several propositions in Congress for the regulation of immigration. The Oates Naturalization bill is now before the House, accompanied by a report from the committee. The report argues that there should be some a into the character of immigrants, and that the factory has been sent to the penifentiary on a month's sentence for assaulting a non-unionist, and one of the female strikers has been fined \$10 for "smacking the face" of a woman who took her place. There is no prospect of the 1400 Higgins strikers obtaining the terms for which they went out, and the employers say they can get along with the new hands.

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New York Southern Society dinner, Hotel Brunswick, Friday, 7 P. M. Twelfth Regiment presentation and parade at armory, Tuesday, S P. M.

Peatival Seventh Regiment Glee Club, at armory, saturday, 8 P. M. Saturday, 8 P. M.
Reception of Crescent Social Club, 228 West 125th street, this evening.
Eighteenth annual ball of the Tough Club, Tammany Hall, Thursday evening.
Masquerade ball of Joseph F. Moss Association, Tammany Hall, this evening.
Young Men's Institute Glee Club'entertainment, 222 Bowery, Tuesday, 8 F. M.

Reception of the Lyceum Society, 228 West 125th street, Thursday evening. Reception of the Veronas, Academy Hall, 80 Fifth wenne, Thursday evening. Reception of the New York Telegraph Operators, Turn Hall Theatre, Tuesday evening Ball of the Volunteer Firemen's Association, Tam-many Hall, Wednesday evening. Ball of John J. O'Brien Association, Kraus's Bowery Volks Garden, Thursday evening. Sixth annual rounton Old Pifth Street School Associa-tion, Clark's, Thursday, 7:30 P. M. Fourteenth annual Charity ball, German Club Rooms, Stapleton S. L. Thursday evening. Reception Company F, Forty-seventh Regiment, at armory, Brooklyn Friday evening. Prize debate Literary Circle Y. M. Hebrew Associa-tion, Lyric Hall, Sunday, 7:30 P. M. tion, Lyrie Hall, Sunday, 730 P. M.
Masquerade ball New York Sporting Club, Wendel's
Assembly Rooms, Tuesday evening.
Princeton College files and Hanjo Cluba concert, Music
Hall, Orange, N. J., Wednesday evening.
Concert and reception of St. Joseph's Benevolent Society, 205 hast Fitty-sixth street, Friday evening.
Concert and literary entertainment, Young Men's institute No. 109, Chickering Hall, Friday evening. Entertainment and reception of St. Monica's Union, exington Avenue Opera libuse, Wednesday, S.P. M. Dinner and discussion upon "Prixon Reform," Con-regational Club, Clark's, this evening, 5:30 o'clock. Musical and literary entertainment of Constantine Commandery No. 48, K. T. N. Y., 228 West 125th sirect, Tuesday evening.

Tuenday evening.

Frescritation of flags to female department Grammar School 36. 710 Kast Ninth street. Thursday, 9:30 A. M., by Miss Laura A. Graham.

Rainbow barsar to and building fund of the House of the Good Shepherd. Harrison Street Hink, Grange, N. J., Thursday and Friday evenings.

The Necessity of Restricting Free Lumigration." a discussion by Richmond N. Emith, Van Buren Rension, and Charles N. Tantor, before Nineteenth Century Ciub, Metropolitan Opera House, Wednesday, 8:15 F. M.

The Longfellow Football Club of Brooklyn. which was beaten so badly last week by the Thistles of New York, were the winners on Saturday afternoon in a match with the Cale-donian Club of Newark. Both sides claimed not to have a full complement of men, but, nevertheless, the game was contested very well from the start to the finish. Referee Masterson gave the word for the kick off at 3 P. M. Only one goal was made in the first innings by the Longfellows, and in the second innings the same team made three goals. The game lasted for one hour.

IN AND OUT DOOR SPORTS.

LIVE NEWS ABOUT THE BASE BALL AND BOWLING MEN. Who Sam Wise Is-Gossip About the Fighters-Athletic News from Everywhere-Among the Horses-Other Notes,

As it is now quite likely that Sam Wise will play short stop for the New Yorks next season, the readers of The Sun would no doubt like to know something about him. We thereore print the following little sketch of him: Samuel W. Wise, whose phenomenal work has at times electrified Boston audiences, was born at Akron, Ohio, about thirty years ago. He has been with the Boston Club for the last six or seven seasons, and has achieved a grand record as a brilliant fielder and heavy batsman. The position of short stop is most difficult at all times, but Sam's work in the main has been most satisfactory. Personally he is a great favorite.

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St. Louis, Feb. 17.—The Sacramento Base Bail Club ampears to be determined to make it warm for the players who obtained advance money from them and then deserted. A warrant is to be taken out here for Dooms, the pitcher, who got \$100 advance money from them, and then joined the Newark Club. Mr. Elwood Brener, Prosecuting Attorney of Sacramento county, arrived here yeasterday morning. He is the authorized agent of the California Club, and came here to secure the money from Dooms or prosecute him. As that player had already gone to Newark. Mr. Bruner was unable to see him, but to-day he turned the matter over to Gov. Johnson, with instructed a secure a warrant against Dooms and prosecute him criminally. W. C. Alvord, third caseman, of this city is in jail in Sacramento for a similar offence.

Indianapolis, Feb. 17.—Frank Bancroft, the new manager of the Indianapolis Club, is from New Bedford, and is well known in base ball circles, having managed the Providence Club in 1884, whon it won the pennant, and has more recently been connected with the Eastern Loague. Since Jack Glasscock's obstinacy in rejecting the terms offered him several days ago by President Brush, that gentleman's chances for securing the managership passed into oblivion. Bancroft came to this city last night at the request of Mr. Brush, and was signed. Everybody seems pleased with the appointment. President Brush and was signed. Everybody seems pleased with the appointment. President Brush says that the League season will begin about April 24. The foliowing corrected spring dates are announced: Indianapolis abrond at Louisville, April 1, 2, and 3, and at home with Louisville, April 1, 2, and 3, and at home with Louisville, April 1, 2, and 3, and at home with Louisville, April 1, 2, and 3, and at home with Louisville, April 1, 2, and 3, and at home with Louisville, April 1, 2, and 1, and 1, and 1, and 2, and 1, and 1,

BASE BALL NOTES, The Brooklyn players will report for practice about the middle of March.

II. O. Mc., Brooklyn.—According to President Day, John Ward did not get the full increase in his saiary that he demanded has teason.

Manager Mutrie does not know when the New York players will report for practice, but they will probably not get here until about March 30.

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The New York Club has not been idle since it became evident that Ward would not play here next season, and the selection of Sam Wise was a good move. Wise will be a good man for the New Yorks, and, like Whitney, the change will

do him good.

But there is one thing our people do not understand, that is, why does Anson of Chicago walk in from first goal and shake his finger at one of the catchers so carnestly, and then walk back with his head down and his face very red. The Hamilton team now comprises Swart-wood Bredie, and McCann. outfielders, Jackson at first, Rearns of last year's Torontos at second. Mechannic third, Sales short stop. Manager Swartwood has just signed Ed Green and Bair as pitchers.

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Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—Manager Sharsig has decided to call the Athletic players together in this city on or about March 10. He has secured McLean's gympasium for indoor practice, and Prof. Billy McLean will put the players through a strict course of training.

Several exchanges, in commenting upon the New York-Brocklyn series, take strong grounds favoring the Brocklyns, on the alleged superfority of their pitching talent. How are Carruthers, Hugines, Foutz, and Terry ranked higher than Keefe. Welch, and Crane? If there is any superfority at all it seems to be in favor of the Giants.—Exchange.

New Onleans, Feb. 17.—It has been definitely settled that we will have a Southern league this senson. Memphis, Mobile, Nashville, Charleston, and New Orleans are certainties, while the chances are that Chattanooga, Atlanta, and Birmingham will also come in making a strong eight-club league. President Wharten is in Chattanooga at present working up matters. Doug Crethers will go on to take charge of the Atlanta team.

Hatnashura, Feb. 17.—George Miller, catcher of the Pittsburgh Club, is here spending the winter. Late last night he was on his way home from a ball when three young roughs of the town passed him and made insulting remarks about him. Miller stopped and asked them to make a retraction, but they refused and registed: "Well punch your head for you," Miller at once began an attack by knocking the spokesman down finishing upon the other two afterward. He gave each one of them a complete trouncing, and they immediately caused his arrest. He was fined \$4.25 and discharged with a reprimand.

AMATEUR BASE DALL NEWS. Powers is wanted by the Clintons. Where will Neesham catch this season? Manager Karpf has not caught on as vet. Manager Hussey is sticking to his stove. Sieike may have a trial with the Clintons. Will there be a Senator team this season? Costello will probably play third base for the

Harry Pierson and his Athletics seem sure of The Gorhams will take a trip through Pennsylvania April 22. The Clintons will play the Bergen Points on May 22 and Aug. 15. Who will have Recreation grounds for a home

grounds this season? Hurns, formerly of the New Havens, will catch for the Clintons.

The Clintons will probably play at the Flushing grounds next season.

The Monroes will open at the Long Island grounds with the Gorhams on April 7. Amateur ball players, as a rule, long for the close of the season, but are more anxious for it to begin.

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Of the Gorhams' players O, and A. Jackson, Nelson and Collins, are in the city, and have been all winter.

Manager Hickoy of the Clintons can be accommodated with a game for \$100 by the Sylvans of Harlem.

Harrison of the Cuban Giants is in town. He will you his club in Washington on April 10 to play arainst the Sonators.

A tip for amateur club managers: There will be a great crowd here at the Presidential centennial; so arrange games.

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"Shorty" Morris, Billy Mooney, Nat Collins, and Eddle Siefke can be seen every fair after-neon practising at Safety Park.

The Athletic Base Bail Club of Paterson would like to hear from a good amateur and semi-professional club. James Yuill, 206 Lib-erty street. Paterson. William Toll of last year's Patersons will captain the team.

In a letter from Manager Warmen of the Little Falls, N. J., team to a friend in this city he says that his catcher, Fritz, has signed with the St. Louis Browns. He is a good catcher, but whether he will suit Von der Ahe is to be

seen.

The following players will play with the Gorhams this season: Collins and O. Jackson, c.: Nelson and Miller, p.: Chamberlain, 1st b.: Reil, 2d b.: Garrison, a. s.; A. Jackson, 3d b.: Gray, c., and the off pitcher and catcher in left and right field. The Tempkins Market Base Ball Club has penganized for the season with the following players: F. Doran, p.; D. Eggison, c.; T. Stapieton, 1st b.; J. Tuily, 2d b.; F. Dunne, s. s.; S. Wagener, 3d b.; W. Stapleton, c. f.; W. Mezd, r. f., and F. Conlin, l. f. J. Tuily, captain, 74
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Janager Mansibil of the Emerald Base Ball Club of Jersey City would like to hear from a few good players about 19 years old to join his club. A stated salary will be paid to all the regular players. Mansibil is also Secretary of the Amatour League fandiclubs wishing to join or to arrange exhibition games can address George W. Mansibil, 201 Bay street, Jersey City.

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Jursey City.

The Dauntless Base Ball Club has organized for the season with the following players: J. Conners, p.; F. Garrity, c.; A. Lanberg, 1st b.; J. McDonald, 2d b.; J. Smith, 3d b.; T. Smith, s. s.; C. Cairne, I. I.; J. Gorden, c. i., and T. Lindsay, r. f. They would like to hear from all uniformed nines with players under 20 years old, the Barnetts, Bivals, or Lafayettes preferred. Thomas Smith, capitain, Shepard and Liberty avenues, Brooklyn.

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The Sylvan Base Bail Club of Harlem, which deleated the Brewster New York Club in 1886 for the semi-professional championship of the State, and which last year played with such brilliant success under the name of the Wiltons, have reorganized for the season. They have retained all of their old-time players and will endeavor to sustain the reputation which has kept them at the top of the list. Powers and fitzpatrick will be the pitchers, notwithstanding all reports to the contrary. The Sylvans are now onen for dates with first-class out-of-town clubs having enclosed grounds. A. Strauss, manager, care of John McCaffrey, 1,967 Third avenue.

NEWS OF THE TURE.

The Maryland Jockey Club in Trouble. BALTIMORE, Feb. 17. - The Maryland Jockey Club is in a bad way. It may not only be compelled to give up its magnificent track with the Eastern Association. The troubles of the club date back four years, when an effort was made to displace Gov. Bowie, the President, and put in his place Frank Brown, now the Postmaster of Baltimore. It was a fight of the young men against the old, and the latter won by one vote It had always been understood that the Jockey Club had been making money, but it turns out that during the past four years not one meeting was financially successful. The fact leaked out since it became known that the Agricultural Society, from which the Jockey Club rents the Pimilico Park, insists on more money for the course. The club now pays only \$500 and the insurance on the buildings, and keeps the property in repair. The society asks for \$1.300 rent and \$700 more every year to keep the property in repair. Gov. Bowle says the club is unable to pay this. He attributes the failing off in receipts to a decline in interest in horse racing in this city, while the younger members charge the loss to the management. The club's lease expires in the spring of 1890, when unless some arrangement is made by which the track is retained or a new one built and other troubles are smoothed over, the Maryland Jockey Club will have ceased to exist. an effort was made to displace Gov. Bowie, the

Harry Wilkes is reported to be in splendid condition for next senson's trotting campaign. Watch him in the Grand Circuit. Leonard W. Jerome was one of the judges at the New Orleans races recently. Mr. Withers also appeared in the judges' stand. Belle Hamlin, 2:13%, is now in training at Buffalo for next summer's campaign. There will be a chance for Messrs, Hamlin and Singerly to settle their long controversy.

Mr. W. J. Gordon of Cleveland has authorized Secretary Fasig of the Driving Club to an-nounce that owing to peer health Mr. Gor-don may sell Guy. Clingstone, Mambrino Bparkle, Nobby, Leontins, Hartford, and other well-known trotters at Mr. Fasig's sale in May. Arab, the famous California trotter acently purchased by Mr. John Shepard of Hosten for \$10,000, reached his new home on Wednesday in the care of James Golden. Arab gained world-wide renown last September by beating Stamboul in 2:15, 2:16, and 2:162, Mr. Shepard will drive Arab on the road.

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English buyers have purchased of Truman Sweet of Hoosick Falls his famous trotting geiding. T. T. S. for 19,000. He is by Melrose, dam Ajax, and is 16 hands and 3 inches high. He has a record of 2:10%. T. T. S. was started at Cleveland in July last, and won every race in his class to Hartford. He is considered one of the best horses in 2:20 class.

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It is a fact not generally known that George Shaw, formerly an extensive breeder of Hambetonian stock at Newton, raised the only gray coil ever got by Rysdyk's famous old sire. Mr. Rysdyk, among other peculiarities, cherished an aversion to gray and white horses, and was accustomed to speak of the color, or want of color, as a blemish and sure sign of inferiority, and to boast that his horse got no such undesirable progeny. It is said that he exhibited much annoyance when he learned that one of Shaw's mares had dropped a gray colt, of which his famous stallion was the sire. Unluckily, before the gray colt had grown old enough to show its true mettie and test the Rysdyk theory in the original Hambletonian strain, it was killed by a runaway accident.

Rosenkrans & Woodruff of Newton, N. J., have just made a notable addition to their breeding and training stables by the purchase from Robert Steel of Philadelphia of the well-bred bay mare Effle and filly Flutter. Effle is by Almont, the sire of Westmont, 2:13%; Purltan, 2:16, and others faster than 2:20. Effle's dam was by Kentucky Chief, and she is in foal by Epaulet, 2:19. Flutter is a yearling, sired by Epaulet, 2:19. dan Buzz Medium, 2:20%, daughter of Happy Medium, Flutter took first prize in her class at the New York horse show last November. Rosenkrans & Woodruff have now the finest tot ever got together in northern New Jersey. The pride of their stables is the young stallion Nutwood-Pancoast, a worthy son of Nutwood.

AMONG THE ATHLETES. A Run Through the Mud.

There was a four-mile-and-a-half run through the mud on Long Island yesterday by number of well-known athletes. The distance was covered by T. B. Conneff, Manhattan Athletic Club, in 28% minutes, Messrs Mc-Athletic Club, in 28% minutes, Mossrs, Mc-Carthy, Gaelic A. C., and Lloyd, Prospect Harriers, came in second and third respectively. The other contestants represented the Arlington, Star, and Long Island City clubs. John Allen started the men from Oreter's Hotel, Ravenswood. Thence the course was through Astoria, Sunnyside, Dutch Kills, and down Thompson avenue, around the Centennial Hotel, and back to the starting point. Good time was impossible, owing to the fearful state of the roads.

Walter Stanton is Chairman of the Nominating Committee of the New York Athletic Club. A Reader.—You can start, but you will not be permitted to enter in A. A. U. games in future. On boards. On boards.

The Brighton Athletic Club will send nine men to the University of Pennsylvania games on Feb. 23.

M. W. Ford is in training for the forty-yard run at the University of Pennsylvania games on Feb. 23. H. O. McClure.—Betting on any race by an amateur will not make him a professional. A. loses his bot. W. D. Day of the New Jersey Athletic Club will compete in the Pastime seross-country run on Washington's Birthday. Hosp of Newark gave a very clever exhibi-bition on the horizontal bar at the champion-ship, and will hustle Molineaux next year. Joseph F. Donoghue of Newburgh, the cham-pion skater, will attempt to lower the one-mile roller-skating record at the N. A. A. A. games on March 4.

John Huneker, the well-known carsman and athlete of the athletic club of the Schuylkill Navy. Philadelphia, has arrived in Gotham after a very enjoyable trip of three weeks.

The Harvard Orimson is authority for the statement that Princeton will vote at the coming meeting of the Intercollegiate Association for a severance of the ties between that organization and the N. A. A. A.

C. A. J. Queckberner of the Staten Island Athletic Club will appear before the Games Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union at their next meeting, and suggest changes in the rules knoverning weight throwing.

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The Gramercy Athletic Club has elected these onleers: James S, Clarke, President; Edward F. Corrigan, Vice-President; James H. O Brien, Recording Secretary; William H. Keogh, Financial Secretary; John J. Cook, Treasurer. A photographic group of all the athletes in the New Yorth Athletic Club hangs in the large hallway of the dining room of the club house, at 104 West Fifty-fifth street and Capt, Schuy-

ler is justly proud in sharing honors with John Wood in the exhibit. Wood in the exhibit.

The Amateur Athletic Union Comic Opera Company will sing "Billee Taylor" in the Metropolitan Opera House on Feb. 23. The entire company will appear in black, and the burlesque, which will be given under the supervision of Prof. Tyndale, will undoubtedly be a great success. great success.

Tommy Dunn and Billy Connors are to fight at 185 pounds, in two weeks, for a purse of \$100.

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Jack Frazier is anxious to meet Eugeno Hornbacker, eight rounds; with skin gioves for fun or money.

Tom Autworth and Rube O'Neill, both of Jersey City, will fight with kid gioves within a week for a purse of \$100. The men have been in training and are in fine condition.

Articles of agreement have been signed between Frank Wood of Evansyille, Ind., and E. E. Edmonds of Vincennes, Ind. for an 85-yard sprint race at Evansyille on Feb. 24 for a purse of \$500.

James Childs deleated George Northridge, in

sprint race at Evansyllie on Feb. 24 for a purse of \$500.

James Childs deleated George Northridge, in a fluish fight for the heavy-weight championship for the District of Columbia in Maryland a few days ago, winning on a foul in the twenty-second round.

The next big battle will be between Mike Cushing, the 125-pound champion of America, and Harry Bartlett, the English light weight. Both men are in prime form. Bartlett has the call in the betting.

Harry Walton, who was recently defeated by Cal McCarthy, will have a benefit at Hudson Hall, Hoboken, on Feb. 25. Pat Cahili, champion amateur middle weight, will spar four rounds with W. Klosterman. The wind-up will be between the beneficiary and Cai McCarthy. Jimmy Hale of Philadelphia has been

Jimmy Hale of Philadelphia has been matched for a fight to a finish with Paddy Smith of Brooklyn for a \$700 nurse, which is to be raised in New York. The men are to weigh 183 nounds or under twenty-four hours before the fight, and are to be in readiness for the encounter within fifty miles of New York.

Sporting Notes.

The Larchmont Yacht Club will open their new grounds with a pigeon shoot on Feb. 22. Two cups will be shot for, open to members and their friends. A champion shuffleboard match for \$100 kd. 300 points up, between W. J. March

A champion shumbooard match for \$100 and side. 300 points up. letween W. J. Morris and W. C. Baxter, both of New York, will take place at 104 West Twenty-fourth street on the evening of Feb. 19.

Ernst L. Caldwell, '87. Yale's most famous stroke, has been notified by the boating officials that his services will not be required this season. The trouble dates back to the spring of '56, and is bused on secret society politica,

SEALSKINS AT RETAIL. SPLENDID BARGAINS. - The

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Athletic Clubs' tournament on Saturday night

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The Jonahs and Mascots of the Pamrapo Athletic Club rolled a friendly match Friday evening on the alleys at Metropolitan Hall at

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The highest individual scores are: L. Warneks, Volunteers, 207; G. Mentrup, Franklin, 207; Cant. Eddy, Brocklyn Atheite Association No. 2, 200; J. Bonnerman, Franklin, 200. E. Chapin leads in the individual averages with a record of 1872.

match game to-morrow night with the West Ends at the latters a sleys in West Find Hall. 125th street, between Seven hand Fighth av-enues. On Saturday they will surney to Now-ark and text their strength with the America

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Umptre—H. Riche of Yorkville. Scorers—M. Phillip-on of Brooklyn and R. Squier of Yorkville. The South Brooklyn howling tournament has seen finished. Each of the five clubs rolled our games. The record is:

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Knights, 211; H. Fearmaid, Leho No. 2, 210; J.
Eberhardt, Waverly No. 1, 207; A. W. Caswell,
Crescents, 204; T. Rades, Amorita, 202; F. H.
Daval, Echo No. 1, 202; T. Hazelton, Monroes,
202; J. Moon, Pin Enights, 203; H. Baker,
Waverly, 201.

The highest team scores follow: Echo No. 1,
218; Echo No. 2, 201; Pin Enights, 884; Clermonts, 870; Cosmopolitans, 867; Monroes, 857;
Waverly No. 1, 837; Amoritas, 896; Waverly
No. 2, 831; Crescents, 825; Recreation, 892; R.
C. Wheelmen, 722.

The two home clubs still lead in the Brooklyn
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The Porchix Bowling Club will roll their first